



INDIANA TEAM MAKES CONRAD NATIONAL FINALS

Columbus, Indiana~ Space Port Indiana and the Conrad Foundation announced yesterday that TEAM NCACP, a high school engineering class from New Castle Indiana is one of the finalists in the Conrad Awards National Competition. This highly competitive program gives high school students the chance to submit proposals in three categories: Lunar Exploration, Personal Space Craft, and Renewable Energy.

NCACP submitted their initial proposal in the category of Renewable Energy and proposes a new road surface that will recharge a vehicle as it drives. It's an innovative idea and has landed the Indiana based team in the middle of a national competition for \$120,000.00 in prizes.



Nancy Conrad with NCACP team during Conrad-Indiana kickoff at Space Port Indiana in November 08.



We are proud of NCACP Engineering team and want to see them win this in April at NASA/AMES in California. It's important to support this team and make sure they are ready for the finals. We want to count on you to help them do that! You can visit www.conradawards.org/ncacp_engineering and make a contribution to help the team prepare for the event. It's doesn't need to be a big contribution, a \$10.00, \$20.00 or \$50.00 contribution would make a big difference to the team and help get them ready.

Space Port Indiana is doing its part to help as well. WE have already made a \$500.00 gift to the team for submitting their proposal and we need you to close the gap for the INDIANA TEAM! As always, we appreciate the support all of our partners have provided in the past and thank you in advance for helping again. Hoosier values, education and encouragement once again have made us proud!